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ORDERAREA CLOSURE FOR PUBLIC SAFETY
AND TO PROTECT FOREST RESOURCESSnoqualmie National Forest
Administered by the Wenatchee National Forest

In order to protect forest resources and fragile soils within Clear Lake Reservoir draw-down area at this time and to preserve public safety concerns, the following acts, pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50(a), are prohibited in the area described below, until further notice:

- (1) Operating a motor vehicle or motorized or mechanized equipment on the drawdown area or lake bottom of Clear Lake below the 1989 high water mark of that Reservoir, 36 CFR 261.54(e).
- (2) Being on or within 200 feet of the lake side of Clear Lake dam structure either on foot or in a boat, 36 CFR 261.53(e).

LOCATION: Within the 1989 high-water mark of Clear Lake reservoir and on or within 200 feet above the Clear Lake dam structure, all largely within section 12 of T. 13 N., R. 12 E., W. 12.

Pursuant to 36 CFR Section 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from this Order:

Any persons with a permit or written authorization specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act.

(2) Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official duty.

This order rescends and supersedes all previously dated orders related to the items addressed above including Wenatchee Forest Order #200, dated January 10, 1990.

Done at Wenatchee, Washington, this 19TH day of April, 1990

for. *Sonny O'Neal*

SONNY O'NEAL, Forest Supervisor
Wenatchee National Forest

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$500.00 or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months or both. Title 16 USC, Section 551.

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ADMINISTRATIVE ATTACHMENT
ENFORCEMENT AND REVISION PLAN

This exhibit accompanies the vehicle closure of Clear Lake drawdown area on the Naches Ranger District, Wenatchee National Forest. This order is signed and enforced to protect public safety adjacent to the breeched Clear Lake dam and to preserve fragile soils within the drawn down lake bottom at this time.

The following procedure should be followed in administering the clauses of this order, in presenting these orders to the public, and in making changes to or updating specific clauses.

1-The closed areas will be posted with adequate signing stating: (A)

"DANGER
CLEAR LAKE DAM
AND THE AREA WITHIN
200 FEET OF DAM STRUCTURE
CLOSED TO ENTRY
BY BOAT OR FOOT
DANGER
USFS"

(B):
"CLEAR LAKE
RESERVOIR AND
DRAWDOWN AREA
CLOSED
TO MOTOR OR MECHANIZED
VEHICLE TRAVEL
USFS"

2-Proposed closure signs should be accompanied by vehicle restrictive barriers adequate to notify the public that access is limited at this time.

3- Closure signs will be posted along drawdown area at logical intervals.

4-This order will be reviewed annually no later than May 15, for possible rescinding or needed changes with wording and clauses.

5-Periodic area patrols will be undertaken. Road posting will be maintained on a weekly basis and area closure parameters will be maintained every other week at a minimum. The area closure will be monitored periodically to assess public compliance and concerns.

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Repl. To: 5300 Law Enforcement

Date: April 17, 1990

Subject: Requested order to rescind present Clear Lake Reservoir closure and continue closure of lake bottom to protect resources.

To: Forest Supervisor, Wenatchee National Forest

Enclosed is a draft Forest order to close the area within Clear Lake reservoir. This order rescinds present Forest order #200 which closed the area within and below Clear Lake in response to public safety issues as a result of unsafe conditions at the Clear Lake reservoir.

The present order opens the area below Clear Lake reservoir in response to the Clear Lake Dam breach, recently completed by the Bureau of Reclamation. All Clear Lake access roads and campgrounds will now be opened to public use. To protect fragile soils within the drawdown area of Clear Lake reservoir, this new submitted order restricts motorized and mechanized use on the lake bottom below the highwater mark of the 1989 reservoir and restricts boating and access in the vicinity of the dam.

DONALD N. ROTELL

Forest Supervisor

Enc. Draft order with accompanying map and enforcement plan

CLEAR LAKE

LAKE BOTTOM CLOSURE

